

PRODUCT: 10 100-tablet bottles of *Gallusin* and 22 1-ounce bottles of *Kloronol* at Charlotte, N. C.

LABEL, IN PART: (Box) "Gallusin Eminent Formula For The Temporary Relief of Occasional Constipation Contains Extracts of Ox Bile, Nux Vomica $\frac{1}{16}$ gr. (Strychnine .0046 gr.), Cascara Sagrada and Phenolphthalein as Active Ingredients with Papain and Oleoresin of Capsicum * * * Distributed by Sumlar Co., 2700 Church Ave., Brooklyn 26, N. Y."

(Bottle) "Kloronol A Famous Formula For Application To Nasal Areas Contains alcohol 2%, chlorbutanol 0.5% (chloroform derivative), ephedrine sulfate, epinephrine hydrochloride potassium bicarbonate, borax, thymol, eucalyptol, and methyl salicylate. Distributed by Sumlar Co. 2700 Church Ave. Brooklyn 26, N. Y."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 502 (f) (1), the labeling of the articles failed to bear adequate directions for use for the purposes for which they were intended, namely, (Gallusin) to curb misery due to lack of healthy bile, relieve gallbladder sufferers lacking healthy bile, to effect remarkable results in sufferers with agonizing colic, stomach, and gallbladder misery due to lack of healthy bile, and to exert amazing power to stimulate flow of healthy bile, and (Kloronol) for the adequate and effective treatment of sinus affections, catarrh, sinus headaches, and earache, which were the symptoms and conditions for which the articles were offered in the November 20 and 27, 1952, issues of a newspaper of general circulation, in the Charlotte, N. C., area, and which advertisements were disseminated and sponsored by and on behalf of the manufacturer, packer, and distributor of the articles. The articles were misbranded when introduced into, while in, and while held for sale after shipment in, interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: February 25, 1953. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

3988. Misbranding of Sanitas herb tea. U. S. v. 6 Pounds, etc. (F. D. C. No. 34133. Sample Nos. 54585-L, 54586-L.)

LABEL FILED: November 19, 1952, Northern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 11 and May 26, 1952, from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 6 pounds in bulk and 63 boxes of *Sanitas Herb Tea No. 88* and 75 pounds in bulk and 100 boxes of *Sanitas Herb Tea No. 101* at Chicago, Ill., in the possession of the Sanitas Herb Tea Co., together with 2,000 leaflets printed in English, 2,000 leaflets printed in Polish, and 2,000 leaflets printed in Lithuanian, entitled "Keep Well With Sanitas Herbs Nature Is The Best Guide."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: The boxes of the articles had been repackaged by the consignee from the bulk lots of the articles. The above-mentioned leaflets were printed for the consignee and were distributed to customers purchasing the articles.

LABEL, IN PART: "Sanitas Formula No. 88 Active Ingredients: Cascara Bark, Comfrey Root, Marshmallow Root and Flaxseed" and "Sanitas Herb Tea No. 101 Active Ingredients: Senna Leaves."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 502(a), the following statements on the box labels and in the above-mentioned leaflets were false and misleading since the articles were not capable of fulfilling the promises of benefit made for them and were not effective in the treatment of the conditions

stated and implied: (box label—*Sanitas Herb Tea No. 88*) "Hepatic Alterative," (box label—*Sanitas Herb Tea No. 101*) "Kidney and Bladder Sickness," and (leaflet) "For Your Inner Well-Being and Outer Good Looks *Sanitas Herb Tea No. 88*, for Liver and Gall Bladder complaints * * * it has often eliminated pain and liver spots * * * Are Your Kidney Tubes and Filters In Working Order? * * * If you have an excess of acids in your blood stream, your kidney tubes may be overworked * * * What happens when kidney disorders permit poisonous matter to remain in your blood? Then you are ill indeed! Then you may suffer with rheumatic pains, backache, loss of pep or energy, getting up nights, swelling puffiness under the eyes, headaches, dizziness, frequent or scanty passage, with smarting and burning at times. *Sanitas No. 101 To The Rescue!* Here is where *Sanitas Herb Tea No. 101*—for Kidney and Bladder Afflictions—comes to your rescue. Kidney trouble has caused untold human suffering but *No. 101* has done more than its share in alleviating this form of human misery. Like the knight in shining armor who slew the dragon, *No. 101* proceeds to slay the dragon of painful kidney and bladder trouble. Your backache, leg pain, broken sleep, painful passages depart in a hurry from the field of battle. *Sanitas No. 101* does that for you—try it—and then see how it soothes the bladder and stimulates kidney action."

Further misbranding, Section 502 (f) (2), the labeling of the articles in the boxes failed to bear such adequate warnings against unsafe duration of administration, in such manner and form; as are necessary for the protection of users since the labeling failed to bear a warning to the effect that frequent or continued use of the articles, or their use three times daily as directed in the labeling on the boxes, may result in the dependence upon laxatives to move the bowels.

The articles were misbranded in the above respects while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: January 29, 1953. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

3989. Misbranding of Colusa ointment. U. S. v. 17 Jars * * *. (F. D. C. No. 34416. Sample No. 14548-L.)

LIBEL FILED: December 18, 1952, District of Colorado.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 9, 1952, by the J & J Remedy Co., from Los Angeles, Calif.

PRODUCT: 17 jars of *Colusa ointment* at Denver, Colo.

LABEL, IN PART: (Jar) "*Colusa Ointment* * * * Net Contents 3 Oz. \$3.00 * * * Active Ingredients Zinc Oxide, Benzocain, Menthol, Camphor, Lanolin, Yellow Bees Wax, 1/10 of 1% Phenol (carbolic acid crystals) in an Unrefined Petroleum oil base."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 502 (a), the label statement "for relief of Piles and Hemorrhoids" was false and misleading since the article was not an effective treatment for piles and hemorrhoids.

Further misbranding, Section 502 (f) (1), the labeling of the article failed to bear adequate directions for use for the purposes for which it was intended, namely, for skin troubles generally and for eczema, scabies, athlete's foot, and rash, which were the conditions for which the article was offered in advertising sponsored by or on behalf of the shipper.